

Baystate Medical Center/Tufts University School of Medicine
Internal Medicine Residency Programs
2010-2011 Residents' Scholarly Activity

Resident Abstracts

Presentation at the American Society for Clinical Oncology

Swayze-Quinn, H., Kuperman, M., Chapman, C., Rosenblum, F., Garb, J., Bentley, B., Cao, QJ., Shao, R., Arenas; RB.: "Correlation of Stromal Expression of YKL-40 with Recurrence of Colorectal Cancer."

American Heart Association, November 14-17, 2010, Chicago, IL

Mallidi, J., Nadkarni, GN., Berger, RD., Hugh Calkins, H., Nazarian, S.: "Meta Analysis of Catheter Ablation as an Adjunct to Medical Therapy for Treatment of Ventricular Tachycardia in Patients with Structural Heart Disease"

ACP Regional - November 20, 2010, Waltham, MA

- Mallidi, J., Motwani, P., Gandhi, P., Winthrop, W.: "A rare cause of coagulopathy - Acquired factor V inhibitor"
- Dhelaria, R. Sachdeva, G.: "Twiddlers Syndrome - an Uncommon Twist"
- Dhelaria, R.: "Final Roller Coaster Ride"
- Bhagavan, A., Haessler, S., Talsania, A.: "Septicimia and the Coastal Region"

Massachusetts Medical Society's (MMS) Fifth Annual Research Poster Symposium - December 3, 2010

- Hernandez, J.: "Growing concerns, larger than fatigue"
- Sachdeva, G.: "Nebulised Sodium bicarbonate for Acute Chloramine Toxicity due to household bleach inhalation".

Society Critical Care Medicine 40th Critical Care Congress, January 15-19, 2011

- Steingrub, J., Nathanson, B., Wells, R., Lagu, T., Lindenauer, P.: "Association Between Marital Status and Survival Among Patients with Sepsis Treated in the Intensive Care Unit"
- Hernandez-Montfort, J. Sachdeva, G., Arora, A.: "Sepsis-induced right ventricular dysfunction in refractory septic shock."

21st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America April 1-4, 2011

Haessler, S., Bhagavan, A., Hinchey, KT, Kleppel, R., Visitainer, P.: "Peer Pressure, Role modeling, and the Social Dynamics of Medical Training: What Unconscious Factors Influence the Hand Hygiene Behavior of Medicine Teams?"

SGIM Regional - Boston, March 4th, 2011:

- Dhelaria, R., McMenimen, K., Gupta, E., Kleppel, R., Friderici, J., Rothberg, M.: "Effectiveness of Chantix® (Varenicline) for Smoking Cessation in an Inner City Medicaid Population" (oral presentation).
- Alzaman, N., Wartak, S., Friderici, J., Rothberg, MB.: "Effects of Patients' Awareness of CAD Risk Factors on Health Related Behaviors".

SGIM National - Phoenix, May, 2011:

- Carreno, M., Andrews, C.: "Cough and Fever in a 28 year-old IV Drug User"
- Alzaman, N., Wartak, S., Friderici, J., Rothberg, MB.: "Effects of Patients' Awareness of CAD Risk Factors on Health Related Behaviors".

AIAMC - March, 2011:

- Seiler, A., Ooi, WB., Bhargava, A., Hernandez, J., Jacob, J., Jankowske, M., Bhagavan, A., Nelson, A., Mallidi, J., Fitzgerald, J., St. Marie, P., Kleppel, R., Hinchey, K., Visintainer, P., Stefan, M.: "Standardized Physician Discharge Encounter for Congestive Heart Failure to Increase Patient's Readiness for Discharge and Decrease Readmission Rate".

AGS - May, 2011:

1. Lee, S.Y., Ang, Y.C., Brennan, M.: "Recurrent SSRI-induced Myoclonus in a Frail Octogenarian"
2. Dhelaria, R., Bhagavan, A., Warner, B., Bellantonio, S.: "Unilateral twitching & confusion due to paraneoplastic encephalitis"
3. Shin Lee, Brennan, M.: Recurrent SSRI-induced Myoclonus in a Frail Octogenarian.
4. Bhargava, A., Andrews, C., Belforti, R., Brennan, M.: A Rare Etiology of Pancreatitis in an Nursing Home Patient

Publications 2010-2011:

- Samat, AG., Bhargava, A., Reddy, V.: "A Review of Exenatide in the Treatment of Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus". Clinical Medicine Insights: Therapeutics 2010: (2) 715-725.
- Dhelaria RK, Acevedo C, Fadaili A, Crisi G.: Microtumor embolization leading to cor pulmonale: an extremely rare complication of ovarian cancer. South Med J. 2010 Jul;103(7):720
- Rothberg, MB., Sivalingam, SK., Ashraf, J., Visintainer, P., Joelson, J., Kleppel, R., Vallurupalli, N., Schweiger, MJ.: "Patients' and Cardiologists' Perceptions of the Benefits of Percutaneous Coronary Intervention for Stable Coronary Disease", Annals of Internal Medicine, September 7, 2010 153:307-313
- Iarikov, DE, Irizarry-Acosta, M., Martorell, C., Hoffman, RP., Skiest, DJ.: Low Prevalence of Primary HIV Resistance in Western Massachusetts, Journal of the International Association of Physicians in AIDS Care (JIAPAC 2010 9: 227-231.)
- Wartak, S., Lotfi, A., Giuliano, G.: "The Way To A Man's Heart Is Through His Liver": A Case of Liver Biopsy. Journal of Hospital Medicine, August 23, 2010

- Hussain, S., Stefan, M., Visintainer, P., Rothberg, M.: "Why Do Physicians Prescribe Stress Ulcer Prophylaxis to General Medicine Patients?" Southern Medical Journal, November, 2010, 103(11)
- Valania, G., Singh, M., Slawsky M.: "Targeting Hypotnatremia and Hemodynamics in Acute Decompensated Heart Failure: Is there a role for vasopressin antagonists?" Current Heart Failure Report, November 3, 2010.
- Rothberg, MB., Arora, A., Hermann, J., Kleppel, R., St. Marie, P., Visintainer, P.: Phantom vibration syndrome among medical staff: a cross sectional survey, British Medical Journal, Christmas 2010.
- Sivalingam, SK., Ashraf, J., Vallurupalli, N., Friderici, J., Cook, J., Rothberg, MB: "Ethnic Difference in the Self-Perception of Obesity and Associated Cardiovascular Effects: A Cross Sectional Analysis" Journal of General Internal Medicine, January 11, 2011.
- Mallidi, J., Nadkarni, GN., Berger, RD., Calkins, H., Nazarian, S.: "Meta-analysis of Catheter Ablation as an Adjunct to Medical Therapy for Treatment of Ventricular Tachycardia in Patients with Structural Heart Disease", Heart Rhythm, 2010 Dec 13. [Epub ahead of print].
- Bhargava, A., Curtis, A., Belforti, R.: "Acute Pancreatitis from Gastrostomy Tube Migration in a Nursing Home Resident", Annals of Long Term Care: Clinical Care and Aging.2011;19(3):25-27.
- Wartak, S., Friderici, J., Lotfi, A., Verma, A., Kleppel, R., Naglieri-Prescod, D., Rothberg, MB.: "Patients' Knowledge of Risk and Protective Factors for Cardiovascular Disease", American Journal of Cardiology, May 2011.
- Gupta, E., Stefan, M.: "Fulminant Clostridium Difficile Colitis Post Total Hip Replacement" American Journal of Case Reports, in press.
- Verma A., Brennan M.: "His mother." J Hosp Med 2011; 6:173-174. (PMID: 21387554).
- Bhargava, A.: "Medicine: The Art Behind the Science", SGIM Forum, April, 2011 Web

Book Chapter

Brennan M, Sekiguchi M, Phillips J. Advanced Illness and Elders at the End of Life, in Case-Based Geriatrics: A Global Approach. Hirth, VA and Wieland D (eds), McGraw Hill, 2011.

In Press

- Hussain, S.: "Porto-gastric fistula from penetration of coil from gastric varix after TIPS procedure for bleeding gastric varices" Accepted in Journal of Interventional Gastroenterology, in press.
- Luciano, G., Carter, B., Rothberg, M.: "Residents-as-Teachers: Implementing a Toolkit in Morning Report to Redefine Resident Roles" Teaching and Learning in Medicine, in press.